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Each Department/District Head

At the Budget Deliberations held June 21, 2004, the Board took the following action:

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The following item was called up for consideration:

Revisions, additions, and changes by the Board members to the Chief Administrative Officer's budget recommendations as deemed necessary.

David E. Janssen, Chief Administrative Officer addressed the Board.

The Board took various actions as indicated below and ordered such revisions, additions, and changes to the Chief Administrative Officer's budget recommendations as deemed necessary.

5.1

Supervisor Molina made the following statement:

"In May, two fatalities of children occurred while in the custody of their biological families. Although the families of the deceased children had previous Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) histories, the Department initially learned about the fatalities through First District staff, rather than through our Child Protection Hotline. The hospital and law enforcement staff who attended to these two child fatalities did not contact the Child Protection Hotline because they did not suspect the contribution of child abuse/neglect to the deaths of these children. There is clearly a need for expanded and enhanced interagency and community collaboration and mandated reporting education.

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## 5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

### 5.1 (Continued)

“It is vital that DCFS take steps to improve the education/consultation of mandated child abuse reporting. This is consistent with the County’s Strategic Plan Goal No. 5 to improve the overall well being of children and families and builds upon the driving concepts behind the Board’s direction to implement a risk management system and Supervisor Knabe’s motion to improve collaboration with law enforcement agencies.”

Dr. David Sanders, Director of Children and Family Services, answered questions posed by the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Molina, seconded by Supervisor Burke, unanimously carried, the Board instructed the Director of Children and Family Services and the Chief Administrative Officer to explore the availability of resources within the existing budget necessary to:

1. Utilize the existing Family and Children’s Index (FCI), a database that enhances the quality of investigations;
2. Further expand the mandated reporting training that the Child Protection Hotline staff offer to schools, hospitals and other community organizations;
3. Further expand the mandated reporting “open houses” held in Department of Children and Family Services’ regional offices for schools, hospitals, law enforcement and other community organizations;
4. Expand Countywide training for the faith-based community on abuse/neglect-related issues revealed during privileged communications; and
5. Promote the Department of Children and Family Services Volunteer Community Liaison program.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.2

Supervisor Molina made the following statement:

“This year because of unexpected revenue generated by property taxes and because of the State budget being less harmful than expected, the County is able to restore the funding for critical local services such as Public Libraries and Parks. The County has maintained fiscal responsibility during these lean times. Yet, our Parks and Libraries have suffered 30% in curtailments over the past decade because of reductions in budgets, unfilled vacancies and inadequate funds to maintain facilities or purchase needed materials. One of our main responsibilities is to serve the one million residents of unincorporated Los Angeles County. Enhancement of library and parks programs would include providing adequate budgets for materials, addressing all deferred maintenance needs, providing after-school and weekend recreation programs for all ages, providing community programs in parks, providing full staffing levels for seven day a week library service and to consider providing literacy services at libraries.”

Therefore, Supervisor Molina made a motion that the Board instruct the Chief Administrative Officer in conjunction with the County Librarian and the Department of Parks and Recreation to begin their analysis of the following funding sources and report back in 60 days with a strategic plan for enhancing local parks and libraries that focuses on incremental implementation at unincorporated area facilities:

1. The balance of the Valentin Funds; and
2. The Utility Tax Fund.

Supervisor Knabe made a suggestion that Supervisor Molina's motion be amended to instruct the County Librarian and Director of Parks and Recreation to “analyze potential funding sources such as the Valentin Funds and Utility Tax Fund” and report back by September 30, 2004 with a plan for enhancing local parks and libraries. Supervisor Molina accepted Supervisor Knabe's amendment.

Supervisor Yaroslavsky made a motion to amend Supervisor Molina's motion to add the Sheriff's Department and District Attorney for the unincorporated areas of the County to the analysis. Said motion failed for lack of a second.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.2 (Continued)

Therefore, after discussion, on motion of Supervisor Molina, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, duly carried by the following vote: Ayes: Supervisors Molina, Burke, Antonovich and Knabe; Noes: None; Abstention: Supervisor Yaroslavsky, the Board instructed the Chief Administrative Officer in conjunction with the County Librarian and the Director of Parks and Recreation to analyze potential funding sources, such as the Valentin Funds and the Utility Tax Fund and report back to the Board by September 30, 2004 with a plan for enhancing local parks and libraries that focuses on incremental implementation at unincorporated area facilities.

5.3

The following statement was entered into the record for Supervisors Burke and Knabe:

“Last year, the Board allocated funds to the Sheriff’s Department for utilization in the suppression of gang crime in the unincorporated areas of the County. Since December 2003, the Sheriff has deployed suppression teams, known as the Community Impact Teams (CIT), comprised of personnel from the Operations Bureau and Safe Streets Bureau to focus on the areas of the unincorporated County that have suffered the largest increase in gang violence.

“In addition to targeting the most violent gangs and gang members as identified by the Safe Streets Bureau, the teams worked with various County agencies such as the Fire Department, Regional Planning, Public Works, Probation, and the Department of Children and Family Services to provide abatement action in a multi-disciplinary approach to crime prevention and suppression.

“Since its inception, the Sheriff’s Department has provided the following arrest statistics attributed to the CITs:

Felonies:	1,415
Misdemeanors:	2,050
Weapons Laws:	167
Citations:	1,929
Field Interview Reports:	2,064

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## 5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

### 5.3 (Continued)

“We believe that the results speak for themselves, and our neighborhoods have experienced a decrease in crime and violence in the areas where the CITs have focused.

“The Community Oriented Policing (COPS) teams have worked closely with the CITs by working closely with the community to identify and target long-standing problems in the unincorporated areas. COPS teams have developed specific enforcement and maintenance strategies for problems such as narcotics use and sale, illegal vending, prostitution, liquor law violations, and assaults. Continued funding of COPS deputies is a necessary component to an overall, effective solution to reduce crime and improve the quality of life in our unincorporated areas within the County.”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Burke, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board instructed the Chief Administrative Officer to fund the Community Impact Team (CIT) and the Community Oriented Policing Team (COPS) and to allocate \$5,000,000 from the Provisional Financing Uses to the Sheriff's Department; and requested the Sheriff to continue providing the Board with the monthly CIT and COPS teams' activity reports.

### 5.4

Supervisor Burke made the following statement:

“On May 21, 2004, the Auditor-Controller provided the Board with its report on the Contract Monitoring Pilot project which was initiated to determine how the County could improve its monitoring of social services contracts with community based organizations. The contracts in the pilot are administered by the Departments of Community and Senior Services, Public Social Services, Children and Family Services, and Mental Health. Health Services and Probation contracts were not in the pilot. The Auditor-Controller concluded that the pilot project demonstrated the most effective approach for improving contract monitoring is to centralize the function in the Auditor-Controller. Other approaches evaluated, such as overseeing department contract monitoring units, were determined to be less effective in detecting contractor program non-compliances due primarily to the lack of expert monitoring training and experience.

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## 5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

### 5.4 (Continued)

“The Auditor-Controller used a total of 18 Auditor-Controller and staff including social service monitoring staff on loan from the four pilot departments during the pilot period. The Auditor-Controller is requesting an additional 14 staff for a total of 32 staff that will be committed to implementing a phased approach to providing sufficient staff to monitor the nearly 5,000 social services contracts with combined expenditures of approximately \$3 billion. The Probation Department contracts would be added to the program this year.

“The Auditor-Controller would also assist the social services departments in improving contract wording to ensure expected program outcome(s) are clearly stated so contractors will understand what they will be accountable for. The Auditor-Controller will also help the departments develop measurement statistics or other data that the contractors will be required to maintain to ensure outcome performance can be measured. Contractor staff would be consulted during this process to obtain their perspectives on improvements in the delivery of program services. Further, the Auditor-Controller intends to initiate a limited pilot project to train department and contractor staff on program outcome performance and measurement concepts to increase understanding of these measures with the goal of improving program results.

“The Auditor-Controller is requesting \$3.4 million for staff, and an additional \$265,000 for space and also one-time equipment costs for a total of \$3.665 million. The Auditor-Controller has recommended that the social services departments be billed for their services and has determined there should be no increase in Net County Costs as the departments have sufficient budgeted monitoring resources to pay for the services. Although the pilot has been determined successful thus far, I am also proposing continuing it as a pilot until the Board has sufficient feed back by participating departments on its accomplishment and any need for improvements.”

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## 5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

### 5.4 (Continued)

J. Tyler McCauley, Auditor-Controller, answered questions posed by the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Burke, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board instructed the Auditor-Controller to take the following actions; and instructed all departments participating in the Contract Monitoring Pilot Project, including the Chief Administrative Office, to report back in 9 months on the accomplishments and needs for improvement in the Program:

1. Continue the Contract Monitoring Project to centralize monitoring of social services contractor performance as a pilot with the inclusion of the Probation Department;
2. Assist social services departments in improving the wording in their contracts to ensure expected program outcomes are clearly stated so contractors will understand what they will be accountable for, and the measurable statistics or other data that they will be required to maintain to ensure outcome performance can be measured;
3. Initiate a limited pilot project to train department staff and contractors on program outcome performance and measurement concepts to provide increased understanding of these measures;
4. Work with the Chief Administrative Office and Department of Human Resources to determine the organization structure of the Contract Monitoring Division, budget changes that are needed to implement the centralized contract monitoring function, and position classifications, etc.

Further, the Auditor-Controller was instructed to report back to the Board within 60 days on what it would take to expand the Contracting Monitoring Program to include the Department of Health Services.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.5

Supervisor Burke made the following statement:

“The Department of Consumer Affairs’ Small Claims Advisor Program provides counseling to litigants concerning court rules, venue, service of process, collections and appeals. This program is funded by a \$6 fee collected from litigants when they file a complaint and request a court hearing.

“The current funding recommendation for the Small Claims Advisor Program is \$538,000. California Code of Civil Procedure, § 116.910(2), provides that ‘[this] amount shall be increased each fiscal year by an amount equal to the percentage increase in revenues derived from small claims court filings over the prior fiscal year.’ According to the Department of Consumer Affairs, the increase mandated by statute amounts to \$51,000 for Fiscal Year 04-05.

“In light of CCP § 116.910(2) and the fact that the program counsels more than 140,000 litigants annually, the additional allocation should be seriously considered.”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Burke, seconded by Supervisor Molina, unanimously carried, the Board instructed the Chief Administrative Officer, County Counsel and the Director of Consumer Affairs to review California Code of Civil Procedure § 116.910(2) to determine whether an additional allocation of \$51,000 should be made to the Small Claims Court Advisor Program; and jointly report back to the Board with any findings and recommendations within 30 days.

5.6

The following statement was entered into the record for Supervisors Yaroslavsky and Molina:

“Since 1987, the Los Angeles Winter Shelter Program (formerly known as the Cold/Wet Weather Program) has provided overnight beds and services for over 2,000 homeless people during the winter months. The Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) has administered the program since 1994 with funding primarily from City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) funds. The Winter Shelters provide approximately 1,255 beds in the City and 782 beds elsewhere in the County, along with hotel vouchers for families and case management services, from December 1st through March 15th of each year.

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5.6 (Continued)

“Last year, the Board allocated \$500,000 in one-time funds to cover a shortfall in FEMA funding for the County’s Winter Shelter program. This funding gap, however, is an ongoing problem. The shortfall could create a crisis situation for the County’s homeless individuals who need shelter and services during the winter months. It is imperative that the County fully fund the Winter Shelter program.”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Yaroslavsky, seconded by Supervisor Molina, unanimously carried, the Board instructed the Chief Administrative Officer to allocate \$500,000 to the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) for the purpose of operating the Winter Shelter program.

5.7.1 & 5.7.2

The following statement was entered into the record for Supervisors Yaroslavsky and Antonovich:

“The Sheriff faces a \$35 million operating deficit this year created from a precipitous drop in federal revenue for incarcerating undocumented criminals, and a continuing rise in costs of health benefits for retirees and workers compensation.

“The Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) has proposed reducing the Sheriff’s workers compensation costs by \$6 million, which lowers the Sheriff’s operating deficit to \$29 million. The CAO has also proposed appropriating an additional \$11.5 million to the Sheriff, which brings the Department’s operating deficit down to \$17.5 million.

“It is imperative that the Board close the remaining \$17.5 million operating deficit so the Sheriff can at least maintain his operations at the same level he was able to sustain this year, and hold unincorporated area patrol and jails harmless from further cuts.

“It is also imperative that the Board immediately address the need for increased safety in the jails, which cannot be accomplished without additional resources. Five inmate homicides occurred this year within the County jail system.”

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.7.1 & 5.7.2 (Continued)

Therefore, Supervisor Yaroslavsky made a motion that the Board take the following actions:

1. Close the Sheriff's operating deficit, by appropriating an additional \$17.5 million of the Sheriff Department's fund balance to its operating budget for Fiscal Year 2004-05, and that the Chief Administrative Officer and Auditor-Controller adjust this figure at book closing to reflect any changed projections regarding SCAAP revenue and workers' compensation costs;
2. Request the Sheriff to maintain the current level of patrol services in the unincorporated areas of the County, and the current level of staffing in the jails;
3. Appropriate an additional \$5 million in ongoing revenue to the Sheriff's custody operations to immediately enhance jail safety, contingent on the Sheriff providing a \$2.5 million match from the Department's Inmate Welfare Fund, to be used appropriately, as required by law, for the benefit of the inmates, specifically for inmate safety; and
4. Request the Sheriff to report back quarterly as to how the funds were invested, what improvements were made, and what results were achieved in enhancing jail safety.

Supervisor Burke made a suggestion that Recommendation No. 3 of Supervisor Yaroslavsky's motion be amended to appropriate an additional \$5 million in ongoing revenue to the Sheriff's custody operations to immediately enhance jail safety, contingent on the Sheriff providing a \$2.5 million match from the Department's Inmate Welfare Fund, if possible and legally permissible, for the benefit of the inmates, specifically for inmate safety. Supervisor Yaroslavsky accepted Supervisor Burke's amendment.

Supervisor Molina made the following statement:

"There is a proposal to give the Sheriff's Department \$5 million to enhance jail safety, and to direct him to use \$2.5 million from the Inmate Welfare Fund for the same purpose. I support this measure because jail safety clearly is an important issue to our County.

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## 5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

### 5.7.1 & 5.7.2 (Continued)

“However, I do not wish to mislead the public into thinking that “throwing money” at a problem will solve it. As made clear by the recent deaths in the jails, stronger accountability in the jails is crucial to maintaining safety. Many important questions remain unanswered. For example, what exactly has and can be done to improve accountability and safety in the jails? How exactly will the \$7.5 million be used? Does it solve the problem or are we creating false expectations for the public?”

Therefore, Supervisor Molina made a suggestion that Supervisor Yaroslavsky’s motion be amended to set aside the \$7.5 million for jail safety in Provisional Financing Uses until the Sheriff submits a detailed plan outlining how decision makers are being held accountable and how the jails will benefit from the additional \$7.5 million; and that the plan be submitted to the Board as a set item on the agenda within three weeks, and should include:

1. The number of personnel or overtime hours that will be added to the jails;
2. The exact location where the added personnel will be stationed to improve safety;
3. A list of the equipment that will be purchased with the money;
4. How these funds will help personnel follow protocols and State and Federal laws;
5. How the tracking of inmates will be improved;
6. How “pruno” will be eradicated;
7. Whether or not video cameras will be purchased to help monitor inmates in cells and/or monitor interactions between deputies and inmates and, if not, why and how much they cost;
8. How inmates with unstable medical conditions will be protected upon release; and
9. Any other details of the Department’s strategy to improve inmate safety.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.7.1 & 5.7.2 (Continued)

Supervisor Yaroslavsky requested Supervisor Molina to eliminate that portion of her amendment relating to setting aside \$7.5 million in the Provisional Financing Uses Account for jail safety; and request the Sheriff to submit the plan to the Board by July 15, 2004.

Therefore, Supervisor Yaroslavsky's motion, as amended by Supervisors Burke and Molina, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, was unanimously carried.

5.8

Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

"The Los Angeles County Lifeguards have seen significant reductions over the past year. For example, there has been an elimination of the Lifeguard Training Academy, the Paramedic Training Program, and the curtailment of the Dive Team and curtailments of health certification programs.

"In addition, just last month we experienced a heat wave throughout the County, which attracted a record number of visitors to our County beaches and this factor coupled with the curtailments have placed a major strain on Lifeguard operations. In order to ensure the safety of the public who visit our beaches it is imperative to restore programs which are essential."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried, the Board reallocated \$552,000 from the Provisional Financing Uses Account to the Los Angeles County Fire Department, Lifeguard Operations.

5.9

On motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried, the Board reallocated \$790,000 from the Provisional Financing Uses Account to the Probation Department for Operation Read.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.10

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) has developed a plan to significantly increase the percentage of foster youth adopted, ages 14 and older. DCFS has partnered with the Consortium for Children, a non-profit organization, to identify older youth who currently have a plan of long term foster care. Many of these youth have foster parents who are willing to adopt them but the youth is resistant to the idea of adoption. Through a specialized mediation process, a youth and a mediator will examine the benefits of being adopted. If a significant person is unable to be identified, and the youth agrees that they would like to be adopted, permanent families will be recruited for the youth. Fifty youth over the age of 14 have been identified to begin the program. However, additional resources are needed to expand the program to other areas within Los Angeles County.”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board directed the Chief Administrative Officer and the Director of Children and Family Services to explore the availability of resources within the existing budget to allow for the expansion of the Older Youth Adoption Program to other areas within Los Angeles County.

5.11

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The Department of Children and Family Services has developed a proposal to address the systemic and structural changes necessary to streamline the adoption permanency process. The Concurrent Planning/Adoptions Integration plan includes full integration and mandated utilization of Concurrent Planning and assigning an Adoptions social worker to each work unit throughout the Department to begin working with the child and family early on and conducting all adoptions related work. The success of the plan will require the cooperation and collaboration of both the Juvenile Court and County Counsel. The proposed plan is designed to achieve a child’s timely and safe return to their own home or, when this is not possible, to move the child to another permanent family more quickly, thereby improving the child’s functioning, stability and general well being.”

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.11 (Continued)

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board directed the Chief Administrative Officer and the Director of Children and Family Services to explore the availability of resources within the existing budget to fund the required staff and additional resources necessary to implement the proposed plan, and report back within 90 days as to the progress of the Concurrent Planning/Adoptions Integration proposal.

5.12

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The Department of Mental Health’s (DMH) June 2, 2004 Stakeholder Process report recommendations curtail ‘General Mental Health Services’ by \$9.2 million. This reduction will impact outpatient mental health services, medication support, inpatient beds, residential care, day treatment, mental health promotions, and community outreach activities for uninsured clients, partially offset by a \$1.0 million increase in funding for self-help/consumer activities to assist those clients who are impacted by these reductions.

“Due to DMH’s budget deficit estimated at \$35 million, the funding cuts were identified by DMH and stakeholders as part of the curtailments needed to reduce costs to the budget funding level. However, it is essential for this Board to avoid fragmentation of mental health services to the uninsured by preserving, at a minimum, key services such as crisis intervention, medication support, and residential mental health care.”

Bruce Saltzer, Executive Director, Association of Community Human Services Agencies and Ana M. Suarez, Executive Director, Amanecer Community Counseling Services addressed the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board directed the Chief Administrative Officer and the Director of Mental Health to report back to the Board by September 30, 2004 with a recommendation regarding restoration of a \$2.2 million curtailment in “General Mental Health Services” for crisis intervention (\$800,000), medication support (\$900,000), and residential care (\$500,000) from any unanticipated savings realized from other County departments or other accounts.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.13

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The lake lifeguards have traditionally supervised the swim beach from the Memorial Day weekend through the Labor Day weekend and provided boat patrol at Castaic Lake Recreation Area. This year, due to staffing adjustments, funding was not budgeted to continue lifeguard supervision through this upcoming summer season.

“The budget for this year’s operation included staffing reductions, with minimal lifeguard services since February, sufficient only for continued liaison with the Office of Public Safety, which has been performing patrols of the lake.

“Before this year’s swimming season began at the lake, there was a tragic accident where a nine-year-old girl entered the water and drowned. The facility has signage posted throughout the park indicating that no swimming is allowed. However, I believe that it is essential that we continue to offer safe swimming and boating areas for public use at Castaic Lake. The number of senior, supervising, and recurring lifeguards needs to be increased to ensure that there is adequate boat patrol and swim beach lifeguard services at the Lake.”

Tim Gallagher, Director of Parks and Recreation, answered questions posed by the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, duly carried by the following vote: Ayes: Supervisors Burke, Yaroslavsky, Antonovich and Knabe; Noes: Supervisor Molina, the Board instructed the Chief Administrative Officer, for Fiscal Year 2004-05, to allocate \$735,000 in net County cost to the Department of Parks and Recreation to fund staff and programs related to lake lifeguard services at Castaic Lake Recreation Area that were reduced on January 31, 2004, as a result of budgetary curtailments.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.14

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The CLEAR Program is an inter-agency program between the Probation Department, the District Attorney’s Office, the Sheriff, the Los Angeles City Attorney’s Office and the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) to combat regional neighborhood gang problems through directed law enforcement tactics and vertical prosecution. While this effort has existed for about a decade, the grant funding has gradually decreased resulting in staffing reductions and absorption of a portion of the costs by the Probation Department, District Attorney’s Office and the Sheriff.

“The City Attorney’s Office and LAPD remain committed to the program. In order for the Probation Department, the District Attorney and the Sheriff to remain in the program, additional funding is necessary.”

Therefore, Supervisor Antonovich made a motion that the Board take the following actions:

1. Approve a \$584,000 budget augmentation from ongoing revenue to the Probation Department for seven Probation Officers, two supervising Probation Officers, and two Intermediate Typist Clerks, which will restore Probation’s portion of the CLEAR program.
2. Approve a \$763,232 budget augmentation from ongoing revenue to the District Attorney’s office for five Deputy District Attorneys, which will restore the District Attorney’s portion of the CLEAR program; and
3. Approve a \$153,368 budget augmentation from Provisional Financing Uses’ ongoing revenue to the Sheriff, which will restore the Sheriff’s portion of the CLEAR program.

William R. Mangan, representing the District Attorney’s Office, Richard Shumsky, Chief Probation Officer and Debbie Nelson, representing the Probation Department, answered questions posed by the Board.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.14 (Continued)

After discussion, Supervisor Knabe made a substitute motion, seconded by Supervisor Burke, that the Board continue Supervisor Antonovich's aforementioned recommendation to a meeting in September 2004 when the fund balance is discussed.

After further discussion, on motion of Supervisor Yaroslavsky, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board continued to July 13, 2004 Supervisor Antonovich's aforementioned recommendation; and instructed the Chief Administrative Officer to report back to the Board with an assessment of maintaining the CLEAR Program as is, what the allocation amount would be, and an explanation of the increased dollar amounts. Said substitute motion was unanimously carried.

5.15.1 & 5.15.2

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"The Twin Towers Correctional Facility consists of two towers housing all female inmates and a large portion of the County's mental health inmates. This facility was constructed using an efficient panoptic design with state-of-the-art surveillance booths on each level for enhanced security.

"The Sheriff is considering the relocation of women out of Twin Towers in order to utilize a portion of the facility to house male inmates requiring maximum security. This effort will help reduce violence in the jail."

Therefore, Supervisor Antonovich made a motion to request the Sheriff to work with the Chief Administrative Officer and report back in two weeks with a proposal and cost breakdown for the relocation of women from the Twin Towers Correctional Facility in order to house male inmates requiring maximum security.

Paul Tanaka, representing the Sheriff's Department, answered questions posed by the Board.

After discussion, Supervisor Burke made a suggestion that Supervisor Antonovich's motion be amended to request the Sheriff to report back in 30 days; and to provide ongoing reports to the Board on the pros and cons of the various facilities that are under consideration for the movement of women prisoners. Supervisor Antonovich accepted Supervisor Burke's amendment.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.15.1 & 5.15.2 (Continued)

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board requested the Sheriff to work with the Chief Administrative Officer and report back in 30 days with a proposal and cost breakdown for the relocation of women from the Twin Towers Correctional Facility in order to house male inmates requiring maximum security; and to provide ongoing reports to the Board on the pros and cons of the various facilities that are under consideration for the movement of women prisoners.

The following statement was entered into the record for Supervisor Yaroslavsky in relation to Supervisor Antonovich's foregoing motion:

"Over the years there have been many proposed alternatives for opening and closing various Sheriff's facilities, as well as for shifting, expanding and reducing services offered at particular Sheriff's facilities, including jails.

"Like the Health Department and the Parks Department, the Sheriff's Department should enjoy the benefit of a comprehensive master plan for facilities. This will allow the Department, in good times and bad, to better allocate resources, facilitate planning, and – with the recent trend in inmate homicides – to determine whether the jail facilities are running optimally."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Yaroslavsky, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board instructed the Chief Administrative Officer to report back in 30 days on the scope, time, and cost of developing a comprehensive facilities master plan for the Sheriff with the project to include a full review and assessment of all alternative proposals for the Sheriff's facilities, including jails.

5.16

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"The Property Rehabilitation program administered by the Department of Public Works is an essential tool in the County's efforts to maintain the aesthetics of our neighborhoods. The Department has requested an allocation of \$610,000 Net County Cost for the Property Rehabilitation program to fund an increased demand for property rehabilitation services. Without this funding, Public Works staff will not be able to respond to all requests for investigations from the public.

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.16 (Continued)

“The Property Rehabilitation program identifies and targets those properties that are in such disrepair that they pose a health and safety hazard and significantly degrade the aesthetics of local neighborhoods. Eliminating blighted conditions on these properties is essential to improving neighborhoods and enhancing the quality of life for County citizens. A failure to respond to citizen inquiries about unsafe or blighted properties seriously undermines the County’s ability to deliver County services effectively.”

Therefore, Supervisor Antonovich made a motion that the Board allocate \$610,000 Net County Costs for the Property Rehabilitation program with the funding to come from the fund balance.

Supervisor Yaroslavsky made a substitute motion, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, that the Board continue Supervisor Antonovich’s motion to a meeting in September 2004 when the fund balance is discussed. Said substitute motion was unanimously carried.

5.17.1 & 5.17.2

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The Department of Regional Planning has identified several unmet needs that are not funded in the Chief Administrative Officer’s proposed budget. One of these items--the Zoning Code Streamlining Project--is of critical importance in terms of making the County’s zoning and development review processes more accessible and user-friendly to the public.

“The Department of Regional Planning has indicated that the Zoning Code Streamlining Project will result in much needed clarifications and other revisions to the Zoning Code that will improve the administration of the provisions of that Code, including the Department’s interaction with the public and the coordination of development applications between Regional Planning and other County Departments. By providing funding for this project the Board will promote several goals in the Countywide and the Department of Regional Planning Strategic Plans with respect to providing enhanced services to the public.”

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5.1 through 5.19 (Continued)

5.17.1 & 5.17.2 (Continued)

Therefore, Supervisor Antonovich made a motion to allocate \$347,000 in funds to the Department of Regional Planning for the Zoning Code Streamlining Project with funding for this project to come from existing funds contained in the Land Development Management Agency trust fund.

Supervisor Burke made a substitute motion, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, that the Board continue Supervisor Antonovich's aforementioned motion to a meeting in September 2004 when the fund balance is discussed. Said substitute motion was unanimously carried.

The following statement was entered into the record for Supervisor Burke in relation to Supervisor Antonovich's foregoing motion:

"Effective code enforcement services are an essential part of our efforts to maintain and enhance the quality of life in the many unincorporated communities of Los Angeles County.

"At the current time, zoning code enforcement activities undertaken by the Department of Regional Planning are largely dependent on Community Development Block Grant funding. Unfortunately, this funding source is restricted to the unincorporated areas with income levels that qualify and over time the number of areas that qualify has decreased. In some Supervisorial Districts, there are no areas that qualify for Community Development Block Grant funding.

"The need for efficient and effective zoning code enforcement exists in every unincorporated community, not just those that qualify for Community Development Block Grant funds. The most expedient way to meet this need and to continue to enhance the quality of life in our unincorporated communities is to fund general countywide zoning enforcement officers that serve each and every unincorporated area in each and every Supervisorial District.

"I therefore recommend that the Board appropriate funds, at an annual rate of \$375,000, to the Department of Regional Planning to accommodate 5 additional staff for the restoration of general Countywide zoning enforcement, resulting in each Supervisorial District having one additional full time general zoning enforcement officer."

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5.17.1 & 5.17.2 (Continued)

On motion of Supervisor Burke, and by common consent, there being no objection, the Board continued her aforementioned recommendation to a meeting in September 2004 when the fund balance is discussed.

5.18

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The final report regarding the proposed transfer of the Lake Lifeguards from the Department of Parks and Recreation to the Fire Department addresses the fiscal and operational issues associated with a transfer. The report fails to address the continual problems associated with the Lake Lifeguards being a part of Parks and Recreation. It is important that this Board ensure the highest level of safety for the two million visitors that utilize the three Los Angeles County Lakes each year. The Lake Lifeguards need to be housed in a Department that shares their mission of public safety and values the job they perform. When the Ocean Lifeguards were transferred to Fire, there were similar fiscal and operational concerns. Those issues were successfully addressed and now the Ocean Lifeguards are an integral part of the Fire Department.”

Derek Elleri and Hugo Maldonado, representing the Los Angeles County Lake Lifeguard Association addressed the Board.

Therefore Supervisor Antonovich made a motion that the Board direct the Fire Chief, the Director of Parks and Recreation, the Chief Administrative Officer, the Auditor-Controller, and the Director of Personnel to take the following actions:

1. Transfer the Los Angeles County Lake Lifeguards from the Department of Parks and Recreation to the Fire Department;
2. Annually transfer the cost of the Lake Lifeguards, including the overhead costs, to the Fire Special District from the General Fund;
3. Compile a list of the critical start up costs that would need to be immediately implemented and transfer the appropriate amount from the General Fund to the Fire Special District to cover those specific costs;

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4. Begin the planning process to address the non-critical start up costs in the future;
5. Draft an agreement between the County Flood Control District and the Fire Special District to reallocate the Flood Control funding to the Fire Department; and
6. Design a comprehensive marketing plan similar to the Ocean Lifeguard's program with Nissan to try and defray uniform, vehicle, and other costs.

After discussion, said motion failed for lack of a second.

(Also See Agenda No. 12 this date)

5.19

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"In February 2000, the Probation Department implemented Developing Increased Safety through Arms Reduction Management (DISARM) program. This program pairs Probation Officers with local law enforcement to perform unannounced searches of the homes and persons of probationers whose conditions of probation allow for such searches. This program is targeted at confiscating guns, drugs and other contraband from probationers prohibited from possessing these items.

"Since the inception of this program, 7,259 residences and 642 individual probationers have been searched. There have been 1,239 weapons confiscated, including 70 assault weapons and 553 handguns. The searches have also yielded over 260 pounds of marijuana, 47 pounds of cocaine, 7.6 pounds of methamphetamine, small amounts of heroin and PCP, and \$421,567 in illegal cash. The program has led to 2,889 arrests. The success of this program is demonstrated and deserves additional funding."

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5.19 (Continued)

Therefore, Supervisor Antonovich made a motion that the Board approve a \$1,000,000 budget augmentation from the Fund Balance for the Probation Department's DISARM program.

Supervisor Yaroslavsky made a substitute motion, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, that the Board continue Supervisor Antonovich's aforementioned recommendation to a meeting in September 2004 when the fund balance is discussed. Said substitute motion was unanimously carried.

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TO: Supervisor Gloria Molina, Chair  
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FROM: J. Tyler McCauley *XTM*  
Auditor-Controller

SUBJECT: **EXPANSION OF COUNTYWIDE CONTRACT MONITORING PROJECT  
TO INCLUDE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES CONTRACTS  
(Board Agenda Item #5.4, June 21, 2004)**

In June 2004, your Board directed the Auditor-Controller (A-C) to identify the additional resources needed to expand its Countywide Contract Monitoring Division (Division) to include contracts from the Department of Health Services (DHS) and report back to the Board. This memorandum provides information on the Auditor-Controller's actions related to expanding contract monitoring to include DHS under a pilot project.

**Background**

We requested that DHS provide us with a current listing of all their contracts by program and their contract monitoring plans including the resources currently used to monitor the contracts and the frequency with which the contracts are required to be monitored.

After several discussions with DHS management and the Audit Committee, it was determined that DHS needed to update their contract database and develop an action plan to address a number of concerns raised by the A-C including the adequacy of contract data. In December 2004, DHS provided the Audit Committee a corrective action plan which included key personnel to work with the A-C to determine what portion of DHS contract monitoring activities could be transferred to the A-C under the pilot project. The plan also proposed how DHS will update and correct contract data.

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### Program Selection

In conjunction with DHS, we have selected the Office of AIDS Programs and Policy (OAPP) to be part of the Division's monitoring activity based on the program's significant funding levels and the number of contractors that provide direct program services. The OAPP program receives approximately \$68 million in federal/State and County funding and has approximately 300 different contracts with 89 contractors to provide direct program services.

According to OAPP management, 70 program staff spend approximately 35% of their time conducting **program** monitoring reviews of the 89 contractors. Each contractor is reviewed annually. In addition, eight DHS staff from their Centralized Contract Monitoring Division annually spends approximately 35% of their time conducting **fiscal** monitoring reviews of the OAPP contractors. DHS management indicated that the current staffing level assigned to conduct fiscal monitoring of the OAPP contractors is not sufficient to complete the planned number of fiscal reviews annually. For example, DHS' Centralized Contract Monitoring Division planned to complete 22 on-site fiscal reviews of the OAPP contractors this fiscal year and as of April 2005, 10 fiscal reviews have been partially completed. Consequently, in conjunction with DHS management, we determined that we can better assist DHS at this time by conducting fiscal reviews of the OAPP contractors. In addition, we will provide training and other monitoring support to enhance OAPP's program and fiscal monitoring functions.

### Proposed Course of Action

Based on our meetings with DHS management that included managers from the OAPP and DHS' Centralized Contract Monitoring Division, we developed a work plan to enhance DHS' current monitoring efforts of the OAPP contractors. Attached is a listing of the tasks that we plan to complete. We estimate that five additional staff will be needed to complete the work plan. The annual cost of the additional resources will be approximately \$650,000. It should be noted that these funds are not currently allocated in the A-C FY 2005-06 budget.

We recommend that the A-C be directed to expand contract monitoring to include DHS OAPP contracts. In addition, we plan to bill this amount back to DHS, resulting in no additional net County cost to the Auditor-Controller's budget. If your Board approves expanding contract monitoring to include OAPP contracts from DHS, we will work with the CAO and DHS to identify the funding for the positions. In twelve months, in conjunction with DHS, we will evaluate the work plan, scope of services and cost.

If you have any question, please call me or have your staff call Don Chadwick at (626) 293-1102.

JTM:MMO:DC

Attachment

- c: David E. Janssen, Chief Administrative Officer  
Department of Health Services
  - Thomas L. Garthwaite, M.D., Director and Chief Medical Officer
  - Fred Leaf, Chief Operating Officer
  - Violet Varona-Lukens, Executive Officer
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**Auditor-Controller  
Contract Monitoring Division  
Department of Health Services- Office of AIDS Policy Programs  
Planned Workload**

**Fiscal Year 2005-06**

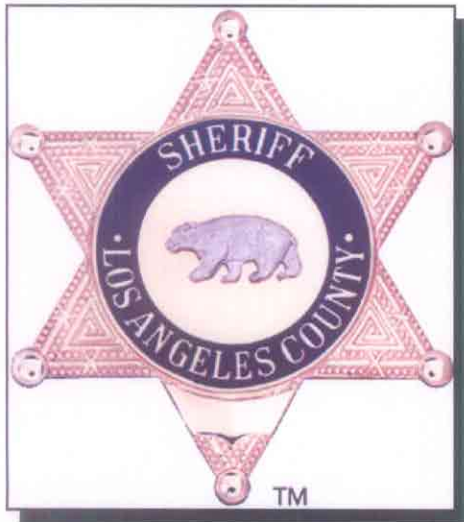
- *Evaluate the program and fiscal monitoring instruments used by DHS staff* - The evaluation will include ensuring that all relevant OAPP program and fiscal requirements are monitored and that steps are listed to assist the DHS monitors to sufficiently document areas of non-compliance.
- *Review the contracts* - Review the contracts and provide the Department with written comments to improve contract wording. Specifically, the Auditor will determine if expected program outcomes are clearly stated, measurable statistics are required to be maintained by the contractors and outcome performance can be measured. Overall, the intent is to make sure contractors are held accountable and that the County's expectations of the contractors' performance are clearly stated and measurable.
- *Develop Risk Assessment Guidelines* - Develop Risk Assessment criteria to identify OAPP contractors for monitoring that pose the greatest risk.
- *Monitor selected contractors* - Using the developed Risk Assessment criteria, monitor selected contractors' performance and determine if they are meeting the contract's fiscal requirements.
- *Complete contract fiscal monitoring reviews for the OAPP* - Complete 15 to 20 contract monitoring reviews. This number may increase if resources and/or time permit. Findings will be discussed with the Department and contractors and a final report with recommendations and the contractor's corrective action plan will be issued to the Board of Supervisors.
- *Coordinate with the Department* - Coordinate the Countywide Contract Monitoring Division's (Division) monitoring with the Department's current monitoring of the contractors.
- *Consult with contractor staff* - Consult with contractor staff during the contract monitoring process to obtain their perspectives on improvements in the delivery of program services.
- *Consult with Department staff* - Consult with Department staff to obtain their perspectives on improving the contract monitoring effort, monitoring reviews, training needs, monitoring instruments used by department staff and overall contract monitoring plans.

- *Train Department staff* – Provide training to Department monitoring staff to enhance their monitoring skills consistent with Department protocols.
- *Communicate with the Board* - As necessary, discuss findings and recommendations with Board Offices, County Counsel and CAO.
- *Provide progress reports* - Meet with Department management on a monthly basis to discuss the status of the program and fiscal monitoring process.
- *Assist in the collection process* – Provide the Department with the necessary documentation obtained during the monitoring process to assist in collecting for over billed services.



## ***Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department***

***COPS Bureau - Office of Homeland Security***



# **Community Impact Team**



## **Monthly Administrative Report**

June 1 through June 30, 2005

Approved by:  
Kevin A. Goran, Captain

Prepared by:  
Michael R. Colton, Lieutenant



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## SUMMARY





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## **SUMMARY**

This report contains arrest statistics and a summary of information for the unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County, which the Community Impact Team has impacted during the month of June.

Each team has focused their efforts in reducing gang murders and gang violence throughout Los Angeles County, more specifically the unincorporated areas of East Los Angeles, Athens, Willowbrook, Vermont, Lennox, East Rancho Dominguez, Florence/Firestone, Walnut Park, Monrovia, Arcadia, Duarte, Ladera Heights, Baldwin Hills, Marina Del Rey, Lake Los Angeles, Antelope Valley, and Topanga.

Since its inception, the Community Impact Teams have made 9,963 felony and misdemeanor arrests and written 5,359 citations. They have identified numerous gang members in the field and completed 5,359 field interview cards. Statistics have indicated a marked decrease in gang related crimes in the unincorporated county areas.

During the month of June the teams assisted Lost Hills Station with the Topanga Days Fair, Compton Station with service surveys, and Santa Clarita Station with a small riot that occurred at Magic Mountain. Collectively, the teams removed eighteen guns from the streets in the month of June alone. The teams continue to maintain a close liaison with the Operation Safe Streets and have conducted operations that have resulted in the arrests of gang members for charges ranging from the sales of narcotics to assaults with weapons.

The twelve Community Impact Team members, temporarily assigned to the County Gang Homicide Task Force (CGHTF), have continued to contribute to the overall reduction of gang related crimes in the unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County. A portion of this report reflects their efforts and productivity..

The Community Impact Team's mission has been to reduce gang violence. Since its inception, the teams have succeeded in removing 480 handguns, rifles, and assault weapons, which has reduced the number of gang murders. Our mission is to maintain a high level of visibility, constant communication with the community, and zero tolerance to gang violence.

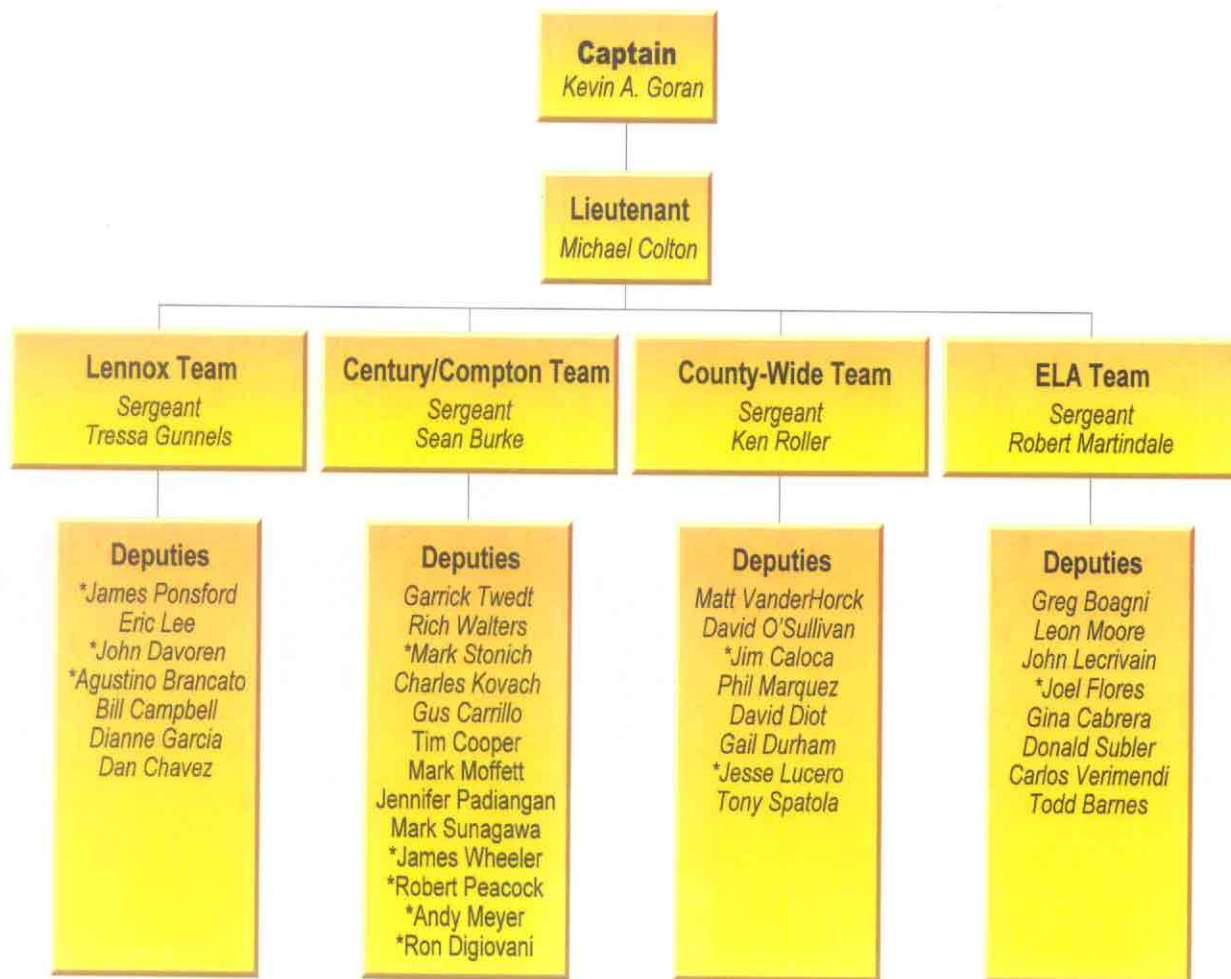
Michael R. Colton, Lieutenant  
COPS Bureau

# ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



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## Organizational Chart



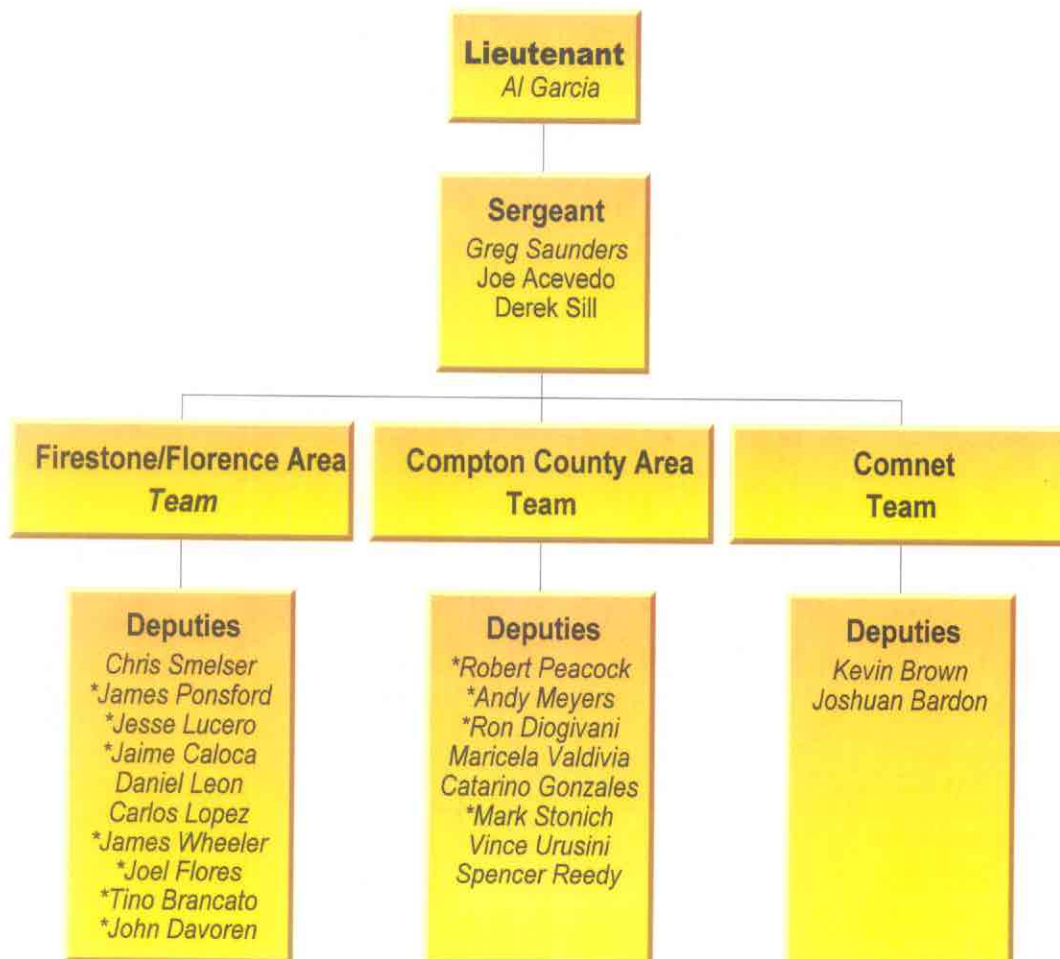
\* Deputies on loan to the County Gang Homicide Task Force



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## County Gang Homicide Task Force Organizational Chart



\* Deputies on loan from CIT

# ARREST STATISTICS



# Community Impact Team

<b>Century</b>	<b>ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION</b>	<b>Week of June 1 - 8</b>	<b>Week of June 9 - 15</b>	<b>Week of June 16 - 22</b>	<b>Week of June 23 - 30</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Felonies	873	6	7	11	7	31
Misdemeanors	1721	10	22	23	38	93
Gun Laws	118	0	0	2	1	3
Citations	1865	14	17	32	29	92
Field Interviews Reports	1721	7	9	12	14	42

<b>Compton</b>	<b>ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION</b>	<b>Week of June 1 - 8</b>	<b>Week of June 9 - 15</b>	<b>Week of June 16 - 22</b>	<b>Week of June 23 - 30</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Felonies	730	2	1	5	7	15
Misdemeanors	934	3	8	13	29	53
Gun Laws	131	10	0	0	0	10
Citations	579	2	5	0	26	33
Field Interviews Reports	540	0	0	12	12	24

<b>East LA</b>	<b>ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION</b>	<b>Week of June 1 - 8</b>	<b>Week of June 9 - 15</b>	<b>Week of June 16 - 22</b>	<b>Week of June 23 - 30</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Felonies	1012	8	7	7	12	34
Misdemeanors	927	14	3	7	16	40
Gun Laws	72	0	0	1	0	1
Citations	837	18	10	14	22	64
Field Interviews Reports	1396	1	7	7	11	26

<b>Lennox</b>	<b>ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION</b>	<b>Week of June 1 - 8</b>	<b>Week of June 9 - 15</b>	<b>Week of June 16 - 22</b>	<b>Week of June 23 - 30</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Felonies	674	4	1	11	13	29
Misdemeanors	1108	7	3	9	22	41
Gun Laws	113	0	0	3	0	3
Citations	489	2	2	1	4	9
Field Interviews Reports	547	7	0	3	10	20

<b>County-Wide</b>	<b>ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION</b>	<b>Week of June 1 - 8</b>	<b>Week of June 9 - 15</b>	<b>Week of June 16 - 22</b>	<b>Week of June 23 - 30</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Felonies	533	5	3	7	7	22
Misdemeanors	1451	9	11	19	16	55
Gun Laws	46	1	0	0	0	1
Citations	1581	12	12	16	14	54
Field Interviews Reports	944	15	3	8	2	28

<b>CIT TOTALS</b>	<b>ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION</b>	<b>Week of June 1 - 8</b>	<b>Week of June 9 - 15</b>	<b>Week of June 16 - 22</b>	<b>Week of June 23 - 30</b>	<b>Totals</b>
Felonies	3822	25	19	41	46	131
Misdemeanors	6141	43	47	71	121	282
Gun Laws	480	11	0	6	1	18
Citations	5351	48	46	63	95	252
Field Interviews Reports	5148	30	19	42	49	140

# County Gang Homicide Task Force

<b>CGHTF</b>	<b>ARRESTS SINCE INCEPTION</b>	<b>Week of June 1 - 12</b>	<b>Week of June 13 - 19</b>	<b>Week of June 20 - 26</b>	<b>Week of June 27 - 30</b>	<b>Totals</b>
<b>Felonies</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Misdemeanors</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Gun Laws</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Citations</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Field Interviews Reports</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>

## MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS





# COMMUNITY IMPACT TEAM

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Highlights for June 1, 2005 through June 30, 2005

### **Century/Compton Team**

During the month of June, the Century Team made 192 felony and misdemeanor arrests and removed thirteen guns from the streets.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

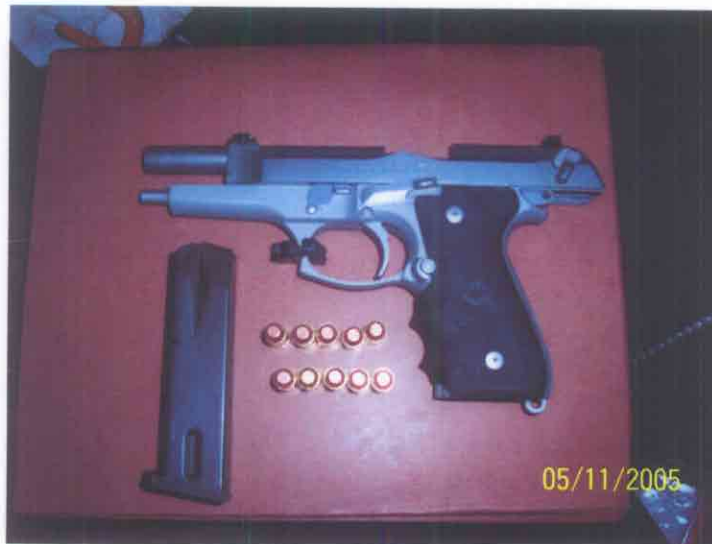
- Team members arrested a "Floresencia 13" gang member with three guns. A search warrant was executed and seven additional fire arms, methamphetamine, and cocaine were seized.
- The Century/Compton team assisted the ELA team with "multi-location" narcotics search warrants.
- The team assisted the County COPS Team and Compton Station by conducting "Door-to-door" surveys in the City of Compton.



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### Century/Compton Team



Depicted in these photographs are three of the thirteen firearms seized by the Century/Compton Team during the month of June.





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Highlights for June 1, 2005 through June 30, 2005

### East Los Angeles Team

During the month of June, the ELA Team made 74 felony and misdemeanor arrests and removed one gun from the streets.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- The team was deployed at Magic Mountain amusement park to augment Sheriff's security due to recent gang fights within the park.
- Team members conducted surveillance on a residence that was alleged to be selling narcotics. The residence is occupied by a member of the "Krazy Ass Mexican" street gang. As a result of the surveillance operation, two arrests for possession of cocaine were made.
- The ELA team executed a search warrant as a result of the surveillance operation on the "Krazy Ass Mexican" narcotics location. The team seized evidence related to the sales of narcotics, a stolen 9mm semiautomatic handgun, and body armor. The resident, a reputed "KAM" gang member, was arrested for various narcotics and weapons related charges.
- The team assisted the County COPS Team and Compton Station by conducting "Door-to-door" surveys in the City of Compton.



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### Lennox Team

During the month of June, the Lennox Team made 70 felony and misdemeanor arrests and removed three guns from the streets.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- Deputies Garcia and Lee identified a vehicle that matched a description given in a robbery broadcast. As they followed the vehicle, they were flagged down by a citizen who said they too had been robbed by the occupants of the vehicle. Garcia and Lee conducted a felony traffic stop on the vehicle and arrested the four occupants who were all members of the Avenue Piru gang. The gang members were charged with the robberies and the deputies recovered the stolen property from inside the vehicle.
- Deputies Lombardo and McDonagh were flagged down by citizen who identified two gang members who had just robbed him. Lombardo and McDonagh apprehended one of the robbery suspects but the second fled. Team members Campbell and Chavez, with the assistance of an aero unit, apprehended the second suspect a half a mile from the scene. All of the stolen money and a 9mm handgun were recovered.
- Deputies Garcia and Lee detained three individuals who matched the descriptions of suspects who had just used a gun in an assault. The suspects were positively identified by the victims and witnesses and were charged with assault with a deadly weapon.
- Team members arrested eight "109<sup>th</sup> Street west side Bangsters" for weapons various weapons violations. Recovered in the arrest was a .357 magnum pistol and an assault rifle.
- The team assisted the County COPS Team and Compton Station by conducting "Door-to-door" surveys in the City of Compton.





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### Lennox Team



Depicted in these photographs is a shotgun and a quantity of narcotics seized from local gang members by Lennox CIT deputies.





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Highlights for June 1, 2005 through June 30, 2005

### County-Wide Team

During the month of June, the County-Wide Team made 77 felony and misdemeanor arrests and removed one gun from the streets. In the month of March, the team was deployed in the stations of Lancaster, Palmdale, Lost Hills, Marina Del Rey, and Temple.

Some highlights of their actions are listed below:

- Deputies Marquez and Durham arrested a person driving a stolen vehicle in Temple Station's area. The suspect was on parole and admitted to the deputies that he had stolen the vehicle. They also recovered other stolen property inside the vehicle.
- Deputies Vander Horck and O'Sullivan arrested a "Duarte 13" associate for possession of methamphetamine. During their interview, the suspect provided them with information regarding the identity of the shooter in a murder which occurred in Irwindale, on the border of Duarte.
- The team was assigned to provide security for the "Topanga Days festival" in Topanga Canyon.
- The team was deployed in Marina Del Rey Station's area in response to an increase in vehicle burglaries. The team conducted surveillance in the various parking structures of the apartment complexes which have been targeted with the burglaries.
- Team members conducted surveillance on a residence in Lake Los Angeles which is occupied by "13 Kings" gang members. Members of this gang have been involved in several recent shootings in the Palmdale area.
- The team assisted the County COPS Team and Compton Station by conducting "Door-to-door" surveys in the City of Compton.



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### County Gang Homicide Task Force



The County Gang Homicide Task Force made 59 felony and misdemeanor arrests during the month of June. Depicted in these photographs are some of the 24 guns the Task Force removed from the streets during the past month.







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## County Gang Homicide Task Force







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